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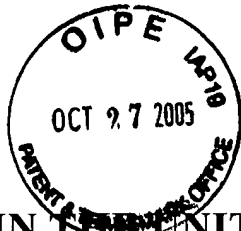
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REPLY TO FINAL REJECTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to an Office communication in this Application dated August 8, 2005, a "final rejection", reconsideration is requested.

Amendments to the Drawings: None

Amendments to the Specification: None

Amendments to the Claims: are reflected in a listing of claims which are on

Page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks/Arguments: are on Pages 3 - 11 of this Reply.

Conclusion: Is on Page 12 of this Reply.